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THE NORMAL INSTITUTE.

An Enrollment of Seventy at the Opening Session Monday—More Expected to Enter Next Week.

The normal institute of Sherman county convened Monday in the city school building. The enrollment this week has reached 70, and there will probably be ten or more additions before the close. Prof. Jones, supervisor of music in the Topeka schools, is the conductor. In addition to his work in this capacity he instructs classes in arithmetic, writing, methods and management and psychology. Formerly these last two branches were taught in institutes in one class, under the name of didactics; but tendency in educational circles is to distinguish between psychology and pedagogical subjects; hence the provision is made for two separate classes in institute work. Orthography will take the place of writing the latter half of the session.

Prof. Gwin, of this city, and Prof. Wolfe, of Decatur county, are the instructors. Prof. Gwin has charge of classes in history, bookkeeping, grammar and constitution. He is an adept in these branches and his work in the normal is deserving of especial commendation.

Prof. Wolfe was not known personally to the teachers of this county before his coming here this year, but his high standing in the educational world may be inferred from his election as president of the Northwest Kansas Teachers' association. He may be depended upon to awaken enthusiasm among the teachers and give them good ideas in regard to their work in the common schools. He has classes in physiology, physics, geography, history and reading.

County Superintendent John Reed has general oversight of the work and his management is business-like and able. The normal promises to be very successful.

FOUR TEACHERS NAMED.

The Board of Education Will Call a Special Meeting to Select the Other Three.

Prof. S. V. Mallory, of Phillipsburg, was selected for the principalship of the Sherman county high school for the year 1901-02 at a meeting of the Board of Education of district No. 1 Monday evening.

The board also employed Miss Rose Filer and Miss Eva Kellogg, who both taught in the school last year, for the grammar and first primary departments. Miss Nannie Linebaugh, a teacher of the county, was also named but the board did not assign her a department. Three more teachers, assistant principal and two others, remain to be employed, which will be done at a special meeting of the board soon. The assistant principal will probably be a man, while the two others will be women teachers, and probably Sherman county educators.

Prof. Mallory's salary was fixed at \$1,000 for the year. He has been principal of the Phillipsburg school for two years and was employed in the Junction City schools for ten years. Prof. Mallory has had adequate experience and will surely give satisfaction.

Commissioners Meeting.

The board of county commissioners met at an equalization board Monday. The cases before the board of complaint of assessment were few. The board adjourned Tuesday afternoon.

Money to Pay Warrants.

There is money in the county treasury to pay warrants up to and including the January issue of 1900. Interest ceases from this date, June 6, 1901.

ICHABOD WARNER, County Treasurer.

Notice.

On and after this date all persons riding a bicycle upon any sidewalk within the corporate limits of the city of Goodland will be prosecuted for violation of the ordinances of said city.

By order of the City Council.

E. F. MURPHY, City Attorney.

Hall! Hall! Hall! Insurance!

B. F. Brown has the old reliable old-line companies—always pay in full. Will give you the lowest rates and takes effect next day after making application.

I have made arrangements to furnish money without interest on good security for hall insurance.—B. F. Brown.

In men's suits we never had better values, nobbler or bigger range of styles, prices right down to the bottom. Good suits at \$4 and \$5; nobby suits on up to \$15.—C. M. Millisack.

Mothers who will keep their children in good health should watch for the first symptoms of worms and remove them with White's Cream Vermifuge. Price 25c.—W. Ennis.

Danham, the photographer, will be here again June 14, 15 and 16. This is the last chance to secure photographs as he will discontinue regular visits after those dates.

To save mending, avoid breaking, and to avoid suffering, prevent coughs and colds by the timely use of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It is a safe, sure and swift remedy for all bronchial ailments. Price 25c and 50c.—W. Ennis.

A BAD HAIL STORM.

Growing Crops in the South Part of the County Considerably Damaged—Mostly Insured.

A destructive hail storm swept nearly across the south part of Sherman county, from west to east, early Monday afternoon.

Heavy black clouds began forming in the west about noon and the storm struck the west border of the county at 1:30 o'clock. The storm was accompanied by some wind and the hail stones averaged about the size of walnuts, covering the ground to the depth of two inches. The path of the storm was probably three miles wide, extending from the Smoky river north, and covered about three-fourths of the distance across the county. Some damage was done to buildings by breaking window glass and the knocking off of shingles.

The loss in crops in the path of the storm will probably average 75 per cent, although some were entirely destroyed while others suffered less than 50 per cent. Following is a partial list of those that lost crops by the hail, most of whom were insured: J. B. Moore, B. J. Horton, Ed Strand, R. S. Hillmon, William Flynn, Thomas Butt, D. J. Smith, M. L. Chandler, G. H. Wray, C. M. Knight.

City Council Meeting.

The city council held their regular monthly session Tuesday night, and besides the usual routine work and allowing of bills, ordered Water Commissioner Blodgett to shut off all hydrants where the owners were delinquent on water rent.

H. N. Schell was appointed marshal and ordered to arrest all parties riding bicycles on the sidewalks. There is a \$5 fine for this offense and offenders will find themselves before Police Judge Leonard if they persist in the practice, several complaints being put before the board.

A. D. Stewart was awarded the lease on the opera house for the ensuing year at \$108. H. L. Robertson and Earl White bid \$80 for the lease.

Not Prepared for a Flood.

Has rainmaking become a lost art with our Goodland rainmakers?—St. Francis Rustler.

No, indeed! The rainmakers can exercise the same old power on Jupiter Pluvius, but have so far been unable to discover any means to check a dangerous precipitation. The people of western Kansas are not prepared, like Noah, to stand for any floods, consequently the rainmakers are not allowed to practice.

Shoulder Fractured by a Fall.

M. L. Chandler, living southeast of Goodland, was thrown from a horse at his ranch Tuesday forenoon and received a broken shoulder. The clavicle was broken in three pieces. He came to town for medical treatment. Mr. Chandler was riding after some horses when the animal that he was riding stepped into a hole, throwing him violently to the ground.

District Court Jurors.

The following persons have been drawn for jury duty for the July term of the district court: John McCall, Rulston; C. L. Didra, Lamborn; G. H. Austin, Edson; C. F. Butler, H. Grimes, Brewster; M. S. Johnson, Warren; J. F. Kimmel, Ernest Greiger, Albert Reed, F. A. Hurd, J. P. Cullen, R. D. Hartwig, Goodland.

Church Announcements.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Methodist church, services every evening at 7:30, conducted by the pastor, Andrew J. Good.

Sam Vassar shipped in 65 head of yearling steers Friday. They were a choice lot.

George Bradley shipped a carload of horses east Friday morning. He accompanied the shipment.

The dwellinghouse and buildings on the Gus Strand ranch, just south of town, have been treated to a coat of paint.

B. F. Breyman was fined \$5 and costs in the police court Thursday for violation of the city ordinance relating to water tax.

The fronts of the Ennis drug store, the Arensburg & Callen drug store and the Leonard brick block were repainted this week.

Since removing to Sherman county Mrs. Mersinger's health has improved much and the entire family are well pleased with their new home.—Lincoln Sentinel.

Miss Eva White closed her school in the Harbour district last Friday and will visit in Goodland, Kan., for a short time.—Burlington (Col.) Republican.

C. S. Loeffert, of Council Bluffs, Ia., representing eastern capitalists, was here this week and went over the county. He has purchased about 15 quarters from M. Robinson and contracted for as many more.

C. H. Kohler, an attorney of Kansas City, was in Goodland last week. He is a partner of ex-Attorney General Boyle, and was here in the interest of certain banks who hold mortgages on Siegel-Sanders estate, and among them the Bank of Olathe, Kan.

Farmers, beware of the these "for nothing" hail companies. Many farmers last year could testify that they are dear in the end. Do not send your money 1,000 miles away but insure in the time-tried McPherson company.—J. F. Kimmel.

HARDMAN BOUND OVER.

Must Appear Before the July Term of the District Court on the Charge of Grand Larceny.

The preliminary hearing of S. W. Hardman, in jail charged with stealing a saddle from E. B. Ackerman, was held before Justice Robinson Friday at 10 o'clock.

The state introduced evidence of the taking of the saddle, and also testimony connecting the defendant with the theft, mainly from his own admissions. The prosecution placed the value of the saddle at \$30, but the defense called several witnesses, who testified that it was worth about \$15.

After arguments of counsel on both sides the court took the case under advisement until 1:30 o'clock, when the decision was rendered. Justice Robinson said that while the evidence seemed to show that the saddle was worth less than \$20, making the crime petit instead of grand larceny as charged, he would bind the defendant over to the district court as it was only 30 days until the sitting of that tribunal.

J. M. Hardman, of Graham county, father of the prisoner was in Goodland Wednesday to visit his son. Mr. Hardman was an old school acquaintance of Emmett and Bruce Lister, of Sherman county, back in Davis county, Ia. Mr. Hardman feels keenly his son's actions. Sheriff Simmons, of Wichita, was here last week and says Sam Hardman is wanted in Sedgewick county for jumping a bond of \$200, having been charged with arson. Sheriff Simmons also says that Hardman is a former associate of Peter Orth, who was tried here but acquitted in 1899 of robbing J. S. Hutchinson.

Great Salt Lake Wonderful Body of Water.

Great Salt Lake, Utah, is in many respects one of the most wonderful bodies of water in the world. It is six times as salt as the ocean, and though four good sized rivers are constantly pouring their waters into it, it never loses any proportion of its saltiness, and its level is never raised an inch. No one has yet discovered why all this fresh water does not reduce the salt, or what becomes of the fresh water, since it does not raise the lake level.

It was, at one time, about as large as Lake Huron, and perhaps a thousand feet in depth; now it is about 100 miles in length, with an average width of about seven miles, and its greatest depth is 60 feet. But what a storehouse of wealth it is! Its area is 7,000 square miles, or 75,718,800,000 square feet. Allowing it an average depth of 20 feet, its contents are 1,505,433,600,000 cubic feet.

Chemical analysis has shown that one-sixth of this is common salt and sulphate of soda, say, 50,905,000,000 cubic feet. Of this combined product, one-eighth is sulphate of soda, and seven-eighths, common salt. A cubic foot of sulphate of soda weighs 50 pounds, and a cubic foot of common salt weighs 30 pounds; a simple calculation shows, therefore, that the lake contains 184,080,000 tons of sulphate of soda, and 8,789,169,000 tons of salt. Allowing ten tons to a carload, that makes 78,408,000 carloads of the soda and 878,916,900 carloads of salt.

These figures are astonishing to say the least, but the lake has other features that challenge attention. For example, there are mountainous islands all over it, varying in height from 3,000 to 5,000 feet. Antelope island, the largest, is about 16 miles in length and five miles in width, with a height of 4,000 feet. The scenery on the island is exquisitely beautiful. Luxuriant grasses flourish everywhere, and streams of pure water run down the sides of its mountains and its canyons. It has many improvements, too, including orchards, gardens, ranches and groves of trees. Its beach is of white sand, and slopes in just the way to make it an ideal bathing resort. Thus it is possible to have a delightful sea bath one thousand miles from the ocean, and 4,250 feet above the ocean level.

IN JUNE.

At night the garden calls me out;

Through perfumed aisles I go;

Red lilies with strange spotted cups

Sway softly to and fro.

Great, dusky moths drift silently

About the half-closed flowers.

And from a deep-blue sky the moon

Lets fall her silver showers.

Throughout the fragrant gloom, dear love,

Each night I search for thee;

Behind each clump of shimmering leaves

I peer expectantly.

Into each corner, dark and still,

Whence blackest shadows start,

I seek for thee, and find thee, love,

Nowhere but in my heart.

—Lucy Morris in June Smart Set.

Dimities, foulards, percales, piques, lawns, challies, linens and numerous other kinds of reasonable wash goods in big assortment at Millisack's.

Men's and boys' clothing department should have your attention now. Men's suits, \$4 up; boys' suits, \$3 up; at Millisack's.

Another case of factory hose just in—the good serviceable kind for men, women and children. Better buy a dozen pair at once.—C. M. Millisack.

TOLD IN A LINE.

The corn crop of Kansas is not quite up to standard this season.

There is a barbed wire famine in the western part of Kansas. The trust can't fill demands.

Samuel Cavender organized and taught the first Kansas Sunday school in Auburn in 1854.

A large party of young people from Goodland spent Sunday on the Smoky. Wading and fishing were the chief amusements.

While not indorsing Mrs. Nation, nearly every resubmissionist in Kansas feels that Tully Scott was justified in his hatchet crusade.

By a recent law passed in Leavenworth county inmates of the soldiers' home will hereafter be permitted to vote in state elections.

"Jugwump" is a new one in Kansas vernacular, and is defined as a man who publicly favors prohibition, while privately patronizing demijohns.

There were more dogs in town Sunday night than Goodland ever boasted of at one time. Gentry's dog and pony show went through enroute for Denver. The dogs were unloaded and fed here during a 30-minute stop.

Gov. Stanley expects to occupy the executive mansion about the second week in June. Acting on Mrs. Stanley's suggestion they will take none of their own furniture, and when they leave will take nothing.

The Topeka Capital in Sunday's issue had special reports from correspondents in every wheat raising county in the state. These reports show, in nearly every instance, that immediate rain is needed to save the crop.

"Go to the ant, thou sluggard!" quoted the ambitious one, "I don't have to," replied the man who had been lying on the ground, as he jumped up and began reaching for things down his back; "the ant has come to me."—Chicago Post.

"Why is it," asked the girl who tries to be funny, "why is it that they always say that a young man pines for a woman? Why couldn't they just as well say he oaks for her, for instance?" "Because," growled the old bachelor, "because pine is about the softest wood there is."—N. Y. World.

"Many good men got their start in life carrying papers," says the Atchison Champion. Commenting on this the Minneapolis Messenger says that Moses carried the "Tables of Stone," an official publication entered at the postoffice according to an act of Providence.

Don't boast of your ancestors, says an exchange, they always speak for themselves and their voices are never silent as long as they have a descendant on earth. It is the man who is not just satisfied with his forefathers who is continually telling of their greatness.

A Kansas minister preached a sermon in which he said that the idea of hell fire is all a mistake. The next day the church officers met and decided that if there was no hell they had no further use for him, and thereupon stopped his salary. He knows now that there is one kind of fire.

Newt Hall has taken some of the Siegel-Sanders cattle that are now on the Berry ranch in Rawlins county, and will bring them up to his ranch. He has a contract with Glover to run the cattle and he and John Knight left Saturday to bring them here.

I. Connor, living near Atwood, was in Goodland Tuesday. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law, A. J. Chesmore, who secured employment on the railroad at this place. Mr. Connor has some land in Grant township, north of Kanorado, and thinks of moving from Rawlins county to his place here.

Allan Cooley died at John McDaniels' place in Llanos township Thursday morning of pneumonia. He was brother-in-law to John McDaniel, and recently came to this county from Chase county, Kan. He was 34 years of age and unmarried. Some of his relatives live in Chase county, but his father and mother reside in Lane county, this state. He was sick only eight days.

E. Thorson's little gray delivery horse stepped upon a piece of slivered board Wednesday afternoon which flew up and struck the pony in the groin, severing the femoral artery, and the horse bled to death before anything could be done to stop the flow of blood. The accident occurred near the residence of H. N. Schell, where the wagon had stopped to deliver goods.

Grasshoppers are reported in all parts of the county. Some people have tried successfully the poisoning of the pests and the following is a mixture that has been used. Take one pound of paris green and 100 pounds of bran and make a thick mash, mixing the paris green in thoroughly. Distribute this mash in very light rows around and at intervals of a few rods through the field, and the grasshoppers will do the rest.

At the state Sunday school convention at Topeka, Mrs. Carrie Nation, who had been refused the privilege of making a speech, climbed upon a seat in the rear of the church and began to talk, just when the Rev. B. H. Gregg started to deliver the benediction. This is what the audience heard: "May the love of God—Stanley is a hypocrite—grace of our Lord—insults decent women—peace, comfort and blessing—enemy of temperance—now and forever—corrupt as Wichita—Amen."

Jimmie Walker was filling an old well on the southwest 34-6-39 Tuesday. One of the horses fell into the well, breaking loose from his attachment to the mate. The well had been filled up to about 15 or 18 feet. Help was summoned and vigorous digging was commenced to extricate the animal, but when near the rescue point the horse died. Jack Reeper and Newt Hall helped Jimmie to get the animal out, but it was all in vain. It was one of the best horses that Mr. Walker had. The animal died in terrible agony.

The Wizard's grocery department in your savings bank, the continuous small savings accruing daily.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Pat Cullins left Tuesday morning for Kansas City.

Mrs. Luther has returned from a visit in Norton.

Jack Burke, of Atchison, is visiting with B. E. Coffin.

Mrs. J. W. Handley is visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Mrs. W. Stephens has returned from a visit in Onaga, Kan.

Mrs. J. P. Franklin left Friday for a visit in Sabetha, Kan.

Prof. S. W. Mallory, of Phillipsburg, was in Goodland this week.

Mrs. L. Jewell is here from Roswell, Col., for a visit with relatives.

George Penfold, of Burlington, Col., was a Goodland visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. James Garrett, of Denver, is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Coots.

Miss Iva Fleming, of Burlington, Col., is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Anna McCarty, of Roswell, is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morris.

John Nye, of Chicago, is in the city, the guest of his brother-in-law, E. F. Murphy.

W. H. Gerdtz, of Arapahoe county, Col., living at Cope, was in Goodland Monday.

Miss Blanche Barlow, of Roswell, Col., is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fuller.

Herbert Kellogg has returned from Eldora, Col., where he has been the past year.

Mrs. J. F. Dayton, wife of Brakeman Dayton, arrived here last week from California.

Peter Doerfer left Tuesday evening for Kansas City to receive medical treatment.

Eric Owen will leave soon for Colorado Springs where he has an offer of employment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wiley and Miss Ella Morse are visiting relatives in Phillipsburg.

Mrs. A. C. Adams Sr., of Horton, is visiting with her sons, A. C. Henry and Sanford Adams.

Rev. H. C. Barnard, of St. Francis, Kan., preached at the Christian church Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Shuster returned to her home in Caldwell, Kan., Sunday after a visit with her husband.

Mrs. L. C. Ames returned to her home in Phillipsburg Saturday after a week's visit in Goodland.

Mrs. Robert Lenon returned from several weeks' visit to relatives in Nebraska Wednesday morning.

Guy Norris, of the Ennis drug store, returned Tuesday from a trip to Garden City and other points.

Charles Crago, wife, and little son, Earl, of Colorado Springs, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lee.

Miss Mary Seaman has returned from Burlington, Col., where she has had a stock of millinery on sale.

Rev. J. Ed Stevens is in Junction City to attend the state encampment of the W. R. C. and G. A. R. societies.

Rhodes Allen, of Cripple Creek, formerly of this county, is in town the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Calvert.

Hon. E. S. Knight, of the secretary of state's office in Topeka, is visiting old friends in this county this week.

Al Frewitt has gone to Colorado Springs where he will play with the Midland band during the park season.

L. Morris was here from Iowa the last of the week looking after his property interests and renewing old acquaintances.

Marion Walker and Jesse Scanlin bagged six young coyotes last Thursday on the "Little Four" ranch on the Beaver.

Prof. T. B. Wolfe, of Oberlin, brother-in-law of Dr. Farrow, is instructor in the county normal and is stopping with the doctor's family.

Pit Mudgett, the Masonic lecturer, returned to his home in Greenleaf, Kan., Saturday night, after two weeks' work with the local organization.

Mrs. Mills, of Denver, is the new housekeeper at the Depot hotel. Mrs. E. P. Sanborn, the former housekeeper has returned to Denver.

Comrade Thomas Butt left Wednesday morning for Junction City as a delegate to the state G. A. R. encampment from the local G. A. R. post.

Dr. Headrick, of Omaha, Neb., was in Goodland this week. He is interested in cattle in connection with R. D. Ross, upon whose ranch the stock is being ranged.

Amos Smith, having sold all his real estate in the county, will leave soon for Nevada. He will ship his belongings and will move his family to the "snowy state."

Mrs. William Walker, Jr., and Mrs. John Bray left Tuesday for Sharon Springs where they met a delegation and went to Junction City over the Union Pacific to attend the convention of the W. R. C.

Dr. F. H. Smith returned last Wednesday from Leota where he was called by wire to attend J. H. Donnell, who was thought to have another attack of appendicitis. Dr. Smith treated him successfully about a year ago.

N. A. Goddard and wife, and A. M. Simmons and family, of Kensington, passed through Goodland on their way to the mountains for a summer's outing. They were old acquaintances of the editor of the REPUBLIC at Kensington.

A. Winn, of Kanorado, and A. Day of Edson, were in Goodland Tuesday to meet their old friend, E. S. Knight, who is spending his vacation here. Mr. Knight says he is simply here to rest up after his arduous labors in the secretary of state's office.

An organization called the "Brownies" has been organized in Goodland. The society is an exclusive female affair and the main requirements of members are that they be unmarried and their calf measurements shall not exceed certain proportions. There are other signs and secret work that has not as yet been made public.

THE CALICO DANCE.

The Engineers Spared Neither Expense Nor Pains to Make the Occasion an Enjoyable One.

From nine o'clock Wednesday night until three o'clock yesterday morning the Goodland opera house was filled with the young, middle-aged and old, all seemingly, for the time at least, having put dull care out of their existence that they might drink to the last drops the pleasures of the dance.

The calico dance given by the Goodland engineers will certainly remain a bright spot in many lives. Fully 60 couples formed on the floor when the grand march, led by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Adams, was announced, while as many more were there to enjoy the music.

The hall was tastefully decorated with calico and mirrors, and the brilliantly lighted scene was beautifully blended by the smart and prettily-colored gowns of the ladies, while the costumes of the gentlemen ranged from full dress to negligee.

The music furnished by the Colorado Midland orchestra, of Colorado Springs, was good and Chief Engineer Pack and the other members of the lodge deserve the highest praise for their unstinted expenditure and hospitable entertainment extended in behalf of their guests.

RAILROAD SPIKES.

J. C. Dey is a new brakeman.

Engineer W. McLellan is down from Roswell.

Engine 467 is a new engine on this division.

Operator J. B. Glascoff is reported sick with appendicitis.

Two machinists from Horton are helping out in the rush in the Goodland shops.